

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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James Robert Adair, Jr. et al.) Confirmation No.: **6585**
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 Serial No. **09/954,443**) Art Unit: **3721**
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 Filed: **September 17, 2001**) Examiner: **Thanh K. Truong**
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 For: **Heat Seal Die and System and Method**)
For Portion Control Sized Packaging)

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

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Sir:

Prior to issuance of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows to correct an obvious typographical error.

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.